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By ECF and Facsimile

The Honorable I. Leo Glasser United States District Judge United States Courthouse 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: <u>United States v. Anthony Romanello</u> 10 Cr. 929 (S-1) (ILG)

Dear Judge Glasser:

As you know, Mr. Romanello was recently arrested and charged with an extortion dating back to 2006/2007. Defendant is scheduled to be sentenced by Your Honor on May 18th in connection with the above-referenced matter. This letter is to request that sentencing be adjourned *sine die*, but that we use the scheduled time on May 18th to hold a pretrial conference. Chief Judge Amon has scheduled a conference on the new indictment for 3 p.m. on the same day (May 18th).

I have been on trial in the Southern District of New York for the last two and one-half weeks and the case will go to the jury tomorrow. I will, therefore, be available for the conference on May 18th.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Gerald J. McMahon
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GJM:cw cc: All Counsel (by ECF)